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SUBJECT: EXPORT RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED BY CHAD

REF: STATE 146681

1. GOC REQUIRES EXPORT AUTHORIZATION FOR EACH SHIPMENT, DESCRIBED BY CUSTOMS OFFICIAL AS AUTOMATIC FOR FRANC ZONE. EXPORTS ELSEWHERE ON CONDITION NONFRANC CURRENCY RETURNED TO CHAD. THIS REGULATION OF INDEFINITE DURATION.

2. CHAD LEVIES STANDARD SIX PERCENT EXPORT TAX PLUS ADDED TAXES ON LIST OF SEVERAL DOZEN ITEMS. GOC DECLINED RELEASE LIST, SAYING IT CHANGES CONSTANTLY. RATES FOR KEY EXPORTS, INCLUDING BASIC 6 PERCENT: COTTON 14.8 PERCENT GUM ARABIC 11 PERCENT, NATRON 11 PERCENT, HIDES 11 TO 14 PERCENT. MEAT AND PETROLEUM NOT ON PRESENT LIST.

3. CHAD HAS NO QUANTITATIVE EXPORT RESTRICTIONS ASSUMING AUTHORIZATION REF PARA 1.

4. IN RARE CASES, PURPOSE OF EXPORT TAX TO PROTECT
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RESOURCES (EXAMPLE 31 PERCENT ON BABY CAMELS). OTHERWISE

PURPOSE IS REVENUE.

5. IN VIEW SMALL US TRADE CHAD, ADVERSE EFFECT CHAD TAXES ON
US TRADE NEGLIGIBLE. THIS COULD CHANGE IN EVENT SIGNIFICANT
OIL DISCOVERY AND IF GOC LIMITS OT TAXES OIL EXPORTS.DWYER

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